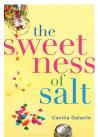






Evan Treski is people-smart. He's good at talking with people, even grown-ups. His younger sister, Jessie, is math-smart-but not very good with people. So when the siblings' lemonade stand war begins, there really is no telling who will win-or even if their fight will ever end.

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### The Sweetness of Salt by Cecilia Galante

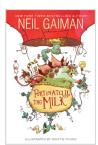
Julia just graduated as her high school valedictorian. She has a full ride scholarship to college in the fall, and a coveted summer internship as a clerk for a federal judge. But when her older sister, Sophie, shows up at graduation determined to reveal long-buried secrets, Julia's plans come to a halt. Instead, she follows Sophie back to Vermont, where Sophie is opening a bakery—and struggling with some secrets of her own. What follows is a summer of revelations—some heartwarming, some heartbreaking—all slowly pointing Julia toward understanding both herself and the sister she never really knew.

### The Girl Who Drank the Moon by Kelly Regan Barnhill

Every year, the people of the Protectorate leave a baby as an offering to the witch who lives in the forest. They hope each sacrifice will keep her from terrorizing their town-but the witch in the Forest, Xan, is kind. She rescues the children and delivers them to welcoming families on the other side of the forest, nourishing babies with starlight on the journey. One year, Xan accidentally feeds a baby moonlight instead of starlight, filling the ordinary child with extraordinary magic. Xan decides she must raise this girl, whom she calls Luna, as her own. As Luna's thirteenth birthday approaches, her magic begins to emerge—with dangerous consequences. Meanwhile, a young man from the Protectorate is determined to free his people...by killing the witch.

### Slider by Pete Hautman

David can eat an entire sixteen-inch pepperoni pizza in four minutes and thirty-six seconds. Not bad. But he'll have to do better. He's going to compete in the Super Pigorino Bowl, the world's greatest pizza-eating contest—and he has to win it, because he borrowed his mom's credit card and accidentally spent \$2,000 on it. So he really needs that prize money... like, yesterday.



### *Fortunately, the Milk* by Neil Gaiman

A boy and his sister awake one morning, milkless. Their mother is away on business, their father is buried in the paper, and their Toastios are dry. What are they to do? They impress upon their father that his tea is also without milk, and sit back to watch their plan take effect. But his trip to the store takes MUCH longer than it should. When he finally does return, he has a story to tell—a story involving aliens, pirates, ponies, wumpires, and a stegosaurus professor who pilots a Floaty-Ball-Person-Carrier (which looks suspiciously like a hot-air balloon).



### Pi in the Sky by Wendy Mass

eBook/eAudiobook

Joss is the seventh son of the Supreme Overlord of the Universe. His older brothers help his dad rule the cosmos, but all Joss ever does is to deliver pies. Of course, these pies actually hold the secrets of the universe between their buttery crusts, but they're still pies. Joss is happy to let his older brothers shine. He has plenty to keep his hands full—but when Earth suddenly disappears, Joss is tasked with the seemingly impossible job of bringing it back. With the help of Annika, an outspoken girl from Earth, he embarks on the adventure of a lifetime—and learns that the universe is an even stranger place than he'd imagined.



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#### The Truth About Twinkie Pie by Kat Yeh

Take two sisters making it on their own: brainy GiGi and junior-high-dropout-turned-hairstylist DiDi. Add a million dollars in prize money from a national cooking contest, and a move from the trailer parks of South Carolina to the North Shore of Long Island. Mix in a fancy new school, new friends and enemies, a first crush, and a generous sprinkling of family secrets. That's the recipe for *The Truth About Twinkie Pie*, a sweet story about the true meaning of family and friendship.

## Stef Soto, Taco Queen Jennifer Torres

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Estefania "Stef" Soto is itching to shake off the onion-and-cilantro embrace of Tia Perla, her family's taco truck. She wants nothing more than for Papi to get a normal job and for Tia Perla to be a distant memory. Then maybe everyone at school will stop seeing her as the Taco Queen. But when her family's livelihood is threatened, it looks like her wish will finally come true. Then Stef surprises everyone (including herself) by becoming the truck's unlikely champion.



#### Charlie and the Chocolate Factory by Roald Dahl

Willy Wonka's famous chocolate factory is opening at last! But only five lucky children will be allowed inside. And the winners are: Augustus Gloop, Veruca Salt, Violet Beauregarde, Mike Teavee, and Charlie Bucket—our hero. Charlie is a boy who is honest and kind, brave and true—and good and ready for the wildest time of his life!



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### Pies and Prejudice by Heather Vogel Frederick

Right before the start of freshman year, Emma's family unexpectedly moves to England. Her book club members are stunned—but thanks to video conferencing, they can still keep the club alive—and then they decide to tackle Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*. When the girls try to bring Emma home by starting a bake sale, it becomes a thriving business: Pies & Prejudice. But when the plan they cook up falls short, they are left wondering if their club will ever be together again.

### Scrambled Eggs at Midnight by Brad Barkley

Calliope (or Cal, as she calls herself) wants nothing more than to stay put—to stop traveling cross-country with her mother, sleeping in a tent, and abandoning everything whenever they pull up stakes. Eliot misses the happy times he left behind when his father decided to open a camp for kids looking to lose weight and find Jesus. When Cal and Eliot meet by chance, they feel an immediate connection. Together they must face their isolation, the threat of yet another move, and the deepening of Eliot's father's obsession with money and God.

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### The Apple Tart of Hope by Sarah Moore Fitzgerald

Oscar Dunleavy is missing, presumed dead. His bike was found at sea, out past the end of the pier—and everyone in town accepted this as a teenage tragedy. But Oscar's best friend Meg knows he isn't dead. Oscar had always been an optimistic and kind boy who baked the world's best apple tarts. He would never kill himself... and Meg is going to prove it.



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